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For President in 1904:

JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER,

—or—

SEN. ARTHUR P. GORMAN.

Announcement.

We are authorized to announce
JAMES N. KEHOE
as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the Ninth District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
HA. VEY JOBE, JR.,
as a candidate for County Judge subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

Days of grace will not be allowed on negotiable paper in Kentucky hereafter in accordance with an act of the General Assembly, approved March 25 and effective Tuesday.

Gov. Beckham received and accepted the resignation of the Hon. W. J. Worthington, of Greenup, as a member of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Commission, and named Frank M. Fisher, of Paducah, to succeed him. Gov. Worthington resigned because of ill health. Mr. Fisher is the postmaster at Paducah.

A committee of forty leading business men of Cripple Creek has declared war on "labor agitators, walking delegates, strikers and boycotts." They declare that the Trades Assembly and the Miners' Federation will not be longer tolerated in Teller county. Adj. Gen. Bell has deported a large number of miners.

In Hickman, a crowd of five hundred citizens visited the different places where intoxicants were sold in violation of the local option law and gave the proprietors a few hours to leave town. Two carloads of beer were confiscated at one place and shipped back to Evansville, Ind. It was with difficulty that the crowd was restrained from doing violence to several insolent violators.

John D. Rockefeller and the Standard Oil interests are at work effecting a vast combination of the valuable mines of the United States and the announcement of the amalgamation is expected at an early date. The big corporation will have a capital of \$2,500,000,000, and expects to control the mineral output of the United States, with the exception, possibly, of the Calumet and Hecla copper mines of Michigan.

Hon. Lewis McQuown, of Bowling Green, was elected Chairman of the Democratic State Central and executive Committees at the convention in Louisville last week. The delegates elected to the National Convention from the State-at-large were Senators McCreary and Blackburn, Gov. Beckham and Congressman Ollie James. Delegates from the ninth district, Senator W. F. Bryon, of Bracken, and John W. Woods, of Boyd. The delegates are instructed as to their votes for President.

Judge L. E. Mann, of Morehead, has withdrawn from the race for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Ninth district. This leaves Congressman Kehoe without opposition, and he will be declared the party nominee. The primary election, which was called for June 25th, will be declared off. This decision is gratifying to the party, as it saves much trouble and expense. Mr. Kehoe has given the district excellent service and there is no disposition to make a change.

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FALLSBURG.

All of the school teachers around here seem anxious to know where they will teach this year as it is pretty near time to make a contract.

Prof. Ekers has about recovered from his lingering spell of rheumatism.

Rev. Burch Hewlett delivered a very able discourse the last time he preached here.

Our Drs. Rice and Carter, have had a very difficult patient to attend to for a few days. Ex-Judge Thompson's boy, aged ten or twelve years, was thrown from a wagon and the wheel ran over his thigh and crushed the bone so that he is in a very dangerous condition. The boy's parents and relatives were terribly shocked when this occurred. They had had such a jovial time the day before it happened having had a birthday party at his father's attended by a big crowd of neighbors.

The meeting at the school house on Hewlett branch last Sunday surpassed any meeting that has even been held there for loud shouting.

It seems that Raish Blankenship is going to have all the working men in this neighborhood go to Whitehouse to work for him.

Mrs. George Smatch, of Huntington, W. Va., was visiting Raish Blankenship's folks a few day days. Their little child that had its leg broken is about well.

Sam Skeens our road overseer, is going to work the river road from Fuller Station to the Blankenship branch this week and there is to be a bridge built across the branch at Fuller Station.

U. E. S.

IRAD.

The general talk of the day is the Sunday School convention that will be held at Daniels creek June 25th. Every body is welcome to this convention to come and bring your dinner with you, and take a part in the work.

Church at Daniels creek the third Sunday in this month and on Saturday night before. Baptizing will be attended to on Sunday.

Erney Moore, of Blaine, visited his brother at Irad last week.

W. S. Chaffin went to Louisa last week on business.

Sherman Kelley, one of our best young men, has been appointed as Sunday School superintendent of the Olive Hill Sunday School.

Grandfather Dean is slowly improving.

James Prince visited the Daniels creek Sunday School last Sunday and reports a good school.

The Dix Shingle Co. will soon begin work.

Uncle Bob Jordan passed through here last week enroute for Irish creek.

John Kelley found a nice bee tree the other day.

This is one time, by the help of many friends, that we expect to move whiskey away from our district.

Strawberry.

BUCHANAN.

Dr. Manley C. Warren returned home from Atlantic City Monday.

Miss Pearl Maupin, of Huntington, came up Monday for a short visit.

Mrs. George Williamson and little daughter, Lizzie, returned Saturday from a weeks visit with Russell relatives.

Jake Compton and Sam Turman attended church at Louisa Tuesday.

Mrs. S. P. Hager and two sons, Prichard and Irvin, came in from Pittsburg Saturday to attend the Kerfoot-Smith wedding.

H. R. Stewart spent Sunday in Catlettsburg.

Mrs. Wm. Mikels and Miss Blanche and Mrs. G. S. Brownfield were shopping in Catlettsburg Monday.

Rev. H. T. Watts spent Tuesday in Catlettsburg.

Mrs. Mary Fletcher is very ill at her home here.

Little Miss Ernestine Stump entertained a number of her little friends Tuesday afternoon it being her sixth birthday, and judging by their laughter the time was very pleasantly spent.

Mrs. John M. Rice was the guest of friends in Catlettsburg Monday.

"Dot."

INEZ.

Our people were to-day greatly surprised at the announcement of the marriage of Miss Gertrude Cassidy, our postmistress, to John M. Williams, of Paintsville. The marriage ceremony was performed on last Christmas eve, at the home of J. W. Preston, Deputy Sheriff of Martin county, Rev. James Chaffin officiating. The contracting parties desired to keep their marriage a secret for awhile, as Mr. Williams, the groom, was arranging to start to a Louisville school to study medicine, and they did keep it, as no one except the few who were present thought of such.

When Mr. Williams came home for the vacation it was decided to make the affair public, and the News is the first to publish the fact.

Miss Gertrude Cassidy is the pretty and popular daughter of B. P. Cassidy, of Louisa, and has been assisting her brother-in-law, Atty. M. C. Kirk, of this place, in the postoffice for several years.

Mr. John M. Williams is a fine young man, a student at Louisville College, preparing himself for a physician with bright prospects before him. We join in wishing the newly married couple a long, prosperous and happy life.

Xaaves.

WILTON.

Mines here are only running 3 days a week. We hope the work will soon be better.

Leander Castle, mine boss for the North Jellico Coal Co., at this place, is away on a weeks' business trip to the Big Sat. Valley.

Success to the team and Kentucky's Democracy.

J. B. B.

GALLUP.

The Children's Day here last Sunday was a success. A large crowd and plenty to eat.

Labe McClure and family from Louisa were visiting relatives at this place Sunday.

Frank and Will Childers are preparing to build a bridge across Contrary.

Miss Emma Bee and Gypsy Shannon

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were the pleasant guests of Miss Patsy Shannon Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mila Owens was the guest of Mrs. Addie Gikerson Saturday.

Mrs. Isabel Childers has been sick for the past two weeks.

Sine Gikerson is through farming and has gone back to railroad.

The little daughter of Jake Scarberry died last Thursday and was laid to rest in the Shannon grave yard.

Johnny Rittenberry, who has been sick for some time, is recovering.

Miss Myrtle Peters is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Chapman.

F. C. McClure, who has been sick, is able to be out again.

CLIFFORD.

We are coming to the front in the way of Sunday Schools, having just organized at Myrtle school house one of the most promising ever held here. All seem to be interested, even the old gray haired fathers and mothers take an active part.

Our officers are James Vinson, snpt.; Lindsey Salmons, asst.; Della Williamson, secy.; Emma Williamson, asst.; Bennett Salmons, treasurer. Teachers, Colby Sparks, Sarah Salmons, Cora Curran and James Vinson.

The presents offered to those repeating the largest number of verses from our lesson were awarded to Miss Lucy Salmons, Mary Copley, Effa Sparks and George Sparks.

We have large attendance and hope to be among the best schools in the county.

KETURAH.

U. G. Hays' little blind boy has come home from Louisville, where he has been in school since last September.

Win. Riley is improving.

Minnie Harman is no better at this time.

W. H. James and Martin Shortridge are putting in their time on the county road.

Uncle C. W. Jones is still in the hunter business.

T. H. Collinsworth, of Fallsburg, was a business visitor at A. Harmon's Saturday.

David Foster passed down our creek Sunday.

A. Harmon was snaking his sassafras last week.

Dodge Blackburn has sold his crop to W. H. James and has gone to Morgan's creek in search of a wife.

W. V. Roberts and Dr. W. A. Rice passed down Cat Sunday.

Uncle John Fannin, of Hubbards-town, W. Va., was visiting his daughter on Cat last week.

MATTIE.

Farmers are very busy plowing and hoeing corn.

We are glad to note that the sick of our community are all improving.

Willie Berry, of Portsmouth, is at home on a visit to his parents.

Jeff Ball is going to raise a service orchard. Hope he will have good success.

J. M. and Gus Moore were visiting their sister, Mrs. Jeff Ball, the other day.

Jeff Justice has returned home to spend the summer.

Old Aunt Annie Sanders is still very sick at Wallace Jordan's but improving a little.

The Kentucky Delegation.

Judge J. M. Robinson, of Pikeville, Ky., delegate from the Tenth Congressional District to the National Democratic Convention, is at the Emory, en route home from his state convention at Louisville.

"From a canvass of our delegation I ascertained that they are divided between Parker and McChellen," remarked Judge Robinson, "a majority of them favoring the former from the present viewpoint. They are not, however, committed irrevocably to any one, and from what I gathered from talks with a number of them they will go to St. Louis untrammelled, though bound by the unit rule, and endeavor to get together with their fellow-Democrats from all over the country in the nomination of the most available man—some one who we think can carry the great state of New York, which is essential to our success, to a certainty. That spirit seems to pervade the entire delegation. There are a half a dozen of the delegation who feel very friendly to Mr. Hearst. I understand, without knowing it to be a fact, that they will vote for him. For my own part, while Judge Parker is perfectly acceptable to me it can be made manifest that he is the most available man to carry New York, I unhesitatingly say that Senator Gorman, whom I regard as the best qualified man in the United States to fill the Executive Chair to its full measure, is my personal choice, and if it can be demonstrated to my satisfaction that he would make the strongest candidate in New York I should most heartily support him, and I believe that a majority of our delegation feel the same way about it. I am confident that a large majority of our delegation are disposed to hold in abeyance or abandon any personal predilections in a sincere effort to select the strongest candidate with whom to go to the country. The voting down of the resolution to instruct for Parker was not based upon any objection to him, but because of the fact that we had already adopted as a whole the report of the Committee on Resolutions, which contained a clause to not instruct for any one. I only mention this because the failure of the convention to instruct for Judge Parker might be misconstrued as against him, when that was not the intent of the convention. We will go to St. Louis as free as the air."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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The export demand for Southern iron is good and promises to afford some measure of relief to the Alabama furnaces during the dull summer season. There has been no curtailment of production, nor is any expected for the near future.

Miss Sophronia Breckinridge, daughter of W. C. P. Breckinridge, of Lexington, received the degree of Doctor of Jurisprudence from the University of Chicago this week. She is the first woman in the United States to earn the degree.

Approved June 14, 1904.

A. O. CARTER, Mayor.

Attest: J. G. BURNS, C. C. L.

MADGE.

Quite a number of young folks from this place attended Children's day at Bawesville Sunday night and reported a nice time.

John Jones and wife visited J. W. Bradley and family Sunday.

Dr. Sturgill, of Princess, was visiting his father, Robert Sturgill at this place Saturday and Sunday.

O. J. Vaughan and Miss Lillian Bradley attended church at Deephole Sunday.

Miss Ivory Roberts made a flying trip to Daniels creek Friday.

Hiram Layne and Drew Haws, of Lick creek, visited at Madge Sunday.

Misses Lillian Bradley and Georgia Hutchinson were shopping in Louisa Monday.

John Frazier and wife visited Ben Frow and family at Dry Ridge Sunday.

Let us hear from all the writers.

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Sunday School Convention.

Program for District Sunday School convention to be held at Daniels Creek June 25, 1904, at 9:30 o'clock.

1. Song by Choir.

2. Prayer by Rev. Thos. Large.

3. Welcome address, W. A. Chaffin.

4. Response, Sherman Kelly.

5. Conference of Supt., and delegates report, led by W. J. Vaughan.

6. Practical Methods for Rural Schools, G. B. Carter.

7. The plain duty of Supt C. W. Jones.

8. An offering W. J. Vaughan.

9. Appointment of Committee. Noon.

10. Reports of Committee.

11. Minister talks by Supt. Rev. Linzy Copley.

12. Evil of the Demon Drink, Rev. H. Thomas.

13. Christianity in Childhood, W. J. Vaughan.

14. Song and Adj.

J. P. Prince, Pres.

L. R. Gilles, Sec.

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G. R. VINSON, Cashier.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

John H. Hopkins has been appointed postmaster at Melvin, Floyd county.

Miss Irene White, of Mavly, Ky., and Mr. John Seabright, of East Liverpool, O., were married in East Liverpool last week.

Smallpox still prevails at Inez. Three new cases have been reported in the past few days. The Martin County News is still in quarantine.

Captain G. W. Longmire, of Lexington who was Provost Marshal at Jackson during the feud troubles in that city, Sergeant-at-arms of the Lower branch of the Kentucky Legislature and at the present time a guard at the State Penitentiary at Frankfort was married at noon Tuesday to Miss A. Ramsey, of Jackson, at the home of the bride's sister in Mt. Sterling.

The wedding is the culmination of a pretty romance which began during the military regime in the feud capital.

James Rice, a Chesapeake & Ohio brakeman, living at Catlettsburg, fell under a train at Leon, Carter county, late Monday night. One foot was cut off below the knee. He was taken to the hospital at Huntington, W. Va.

Gov. Beckham has appointed George B. Martin, of Catlettsburg, County Judge of Boyd county, to fill out an unexpired term in that office. The vacancy was caused by the death of County Judge Wm. Postge.

Judgment of the Magoffin Circuit Court was reversed by the court in a case of Cy Montgomery against the Commonwealth, and it was remanded for further trial. Montgomery was indicted for the murder of one Charles Fletcher. He was convicted of voluntary manslaughter and sentenced to confinement in the penitentiary for six years.

Clem Hatton, a young Bath county farmer, became insane over the Mormon religion and almost drowned his wife, claiming he was baptizing her in that faith.

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"BLACK MAMMY" tells the tale. We make one thing and make it well.